

Sinclair Broadcasting's decision to air their anti-Kerry documentary days before the election is as bad as viewing Ms Jackson breast on TV.

Sinclair uses the public airwaves free of charge, and is obligated by law to serve the public interest. But when large companies control the airwaves, we get more of what's good for the bottom line and less of what we need for our democracy. A Company that owns that many TV Stations should not violate and try to control and influence our elections. This is like Saddam getting 99.9 of the votes in Iraq. He was the only candidate.

Sinclair's actions show why we need to strengthen media ownership rules, not weaken them. They show why the license renewal process needs to involve more than a returned postcard. Thank you.